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CHAPTER 1068

JOB SERVICE DEPARTMENT

H. F. 1593

AN ACT relating to the department of job service, including unemployment compensation, providing for a delay until 1978 of an emergency tax of two and seven-tenths percent, extending the six thousand dollar wage base until January 1, 1978, imposing a nine-tenths of one percent add-on tax for all employers, providing a contingent emergency twenty-five hundredths of one percent add-on tax for the calendar year 1977, eliminating the one week waiting period for unemployment compensation benefits, increasing the requirements for attachment to the work force, eliminating vacation pay in excess of one week as a deduction from unemployment compensation benefits under certain circumstances, excluding from unemployment compensation eligibility public school employees under contract for the following year, changing benefit eligibility for employees voluntarily quitting without good cause, eliminating the employment security commission and establishing the department of job service with a director, an appeal board and an advisory council and prescribing their duties, organization and responsibilities.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 Section 1. Section twenty-eight C point one (28C.1), Code 1975, is amended 2 to read as follows:

28C.1 Committee created—duties. The commissioner of the department of social services, the board of regents, the commissioner of health, the commissioner of the department of public instruction, vocational rehabilitation and employment security commission the director of job service shall meet together annually the first week in April. Such meetings shall be called by the commissioner of health acting as chairman of the annual meeting, for the purpose of co-ordinating and integrating activities which involve the personnel of two or more divisions, and shall designate one representative from each of their agencies as a member of an interagency liaison committee. This committee shall meet at least quarterly to consider areas of mutual joint interest and responsibility. Minutes shall be kept of such meetings and made available to the legislature. It shall select a chairman chairperson who shall be responsible to implement decisions reached by the committee. All activities, which would involve personnel from two or more of these agencies, shall be presented to each board concerned by the committee representative of that board or administrative head at any regular meeting or at the annual joint meeting. When approved by the board or administrative head of each agency involved, the activities will be implemented by the ehairman chairperson of the interagency liaison committee which, however, may delegate responsibility to the most appropriate person for carrying out the work.

SEC. 2. Section ninety-two point twenty-one (92.21), unnumbered paragraph one (1), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

There is hereby established a committee on child labor. The committee shall consist of the labor commissioner who shall act as ehairman chairperson, the superintendent of public instruction or his a designee, a representative director of the Iowa employment security commission selected by the commission department of job service or a designee, and two persons representing the public and interested in child labor, to be appointed by the governor, without regard to political affiliation. The public representatives shall serve for a term of four years from July 1, 1970, and until their successors are appointed and qualify. The governor shall fill any public member's vacancy for any unexpired term. Public members shall receive a per diem of thirty dollars and actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their official duties.

1 Sec. 3. Section ninety-four point two (94.2), unnumbered paragraph one (1), 2 Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

It shall be the duty of the eommissioner director of the department of job service through the free employment service to:

- SEC. 4. Section ninety-six point three (96.3), subsection one (1), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:
- 1. Payment. Twenty-four months after the date when contributions first accrue under this chapter, benefits shall become payable from the fund; provided, that wages earned for services defined in section 96.19, subsection 7, paragraph "g" (3), irrespective of when performed, shall not be included for purposes of determining eligibility, under section 96.4 or full-time weekly wages, under subsection 4 of this section, for the purposes of any benefit year commencing on or after July 1, 1939, nor shall any benefits with respect to unemployment occurring on and after July 1, 1939, be payable under subsection 5 of this section on the basis of such wages. All benefits shall be paid through employment offices in accordance with such regulations as the commission department of job service may prescribe.
- SEC. 5. Section ninety-six point four (96.4), subsection four (4), Code 1975, as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter ninety-two (92), section four (4), is amended by striking the subsection.
- SEC. 6. Section ninety-six point four (96.4), subsection five (5), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:
- 5. He has been paid wages for insured work of not less than two four hundred dollars in that calendar quarter in his base period in which his wages were the highest, and also he has been paid wages for insured work of not less than one two hundred dollars in a calendar quarter in his base period other than the calendar quarter in which his wages were the highest; and provided further if he has drawn benefits in any benefit year, he must during or subsequent to that year, be paid wages in insured work totaling one two hundred dollars as a condition to receive benefits in the next benefit year.
- SEC. 7. Section ninety-six point five (96.5), Code 1975, the new subsection added by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter ninety-two (92), section eleven (11), is amended to read as follows:

NEW SUBSECTION. Administrative penalty. If the eommission department finds that, with respect to any week of an insured worker's unemployment for which such person claims waiting week credit or benefits, such person has, within the thirty-six calendar months immediately preceding such week, with intent to defraud by obtaining any benefits not due under this chapter, willfully and knowingly made a false statement or misrepresentation, or willfully and knowingly failed to disclose a material fact; such person shall be disqualified for the week in which the eommission department makes such determination, and forfeit all benefit rights under the unemployment compensation law for a period of not more than the remaining benefit period as determined by the eommission department according to the circumstances of each case. Any penalties imposed by this subsection shall be in addition to those otherwise prescribed in this chapter.

- SEC. 8. Section ninety-six point five (96.5), subsection one (1), paragraphs g, h and i, Code 1975, as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter ninety-two (92), section seven (7), are amended to read as follows:
- g. In the case where he left his work voluntarily without good cause attributable to his employer under circumstances which did or would disqualify him for benefits, except as provided in paragraph a of subsection one (1) of section ninety-six point five (96.5) of the Code under this subsection he, subsequent to such leaving, worked in and was paid wages for insured work in an amount not less than nine times the claimant's weekly benefit amount for not less than six consecutive weeks, provided he is otherwise eligible.

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12 h. In the event extended benefits are in effect as provided for by this chapter, 13 then benefits shall not be withheld after twelve consecutive weeks of 14 unemployment from the date he quits, during which time he shall be actively and 15 earnestly seeking employment. 16

in "Principal support" shall mean exclusive of the earnings of any child of the

wage earner.

SEC. 9. Section ninety-six point five (96.5), subsection seven (7), Code 1975, is

amended by adding the following new paragraph:

NEW PARAGRAPH. Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraphs a, b and c of this subsection, if an individual is separated from employment and is scheduled to receive vacation payments during the period of unemployment attributable to the employer and if the individual is not scheduled to return to work within a period of four consecutive weeks or less then payments made by an employer to an individual or an obligation to make a payment by an employer to an individual for vacation pay, vacation pay allowance or pay in lieu of vacation for any period in excess of one week shall not be deemed wages as defined in section ninety-six point nineteen (96.19), subsection thirteen (13), of the Code, and such payments in excess of that amount received for one week or the value of such obligations for one week shall not be deducted from the unemployment benefits an employee is otherwise entitled to receive under this chapter.

SEC. 10. Section ninety-six point six (96.6), subsections two (2) and three (3), Code 1975, as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter ninety-two (92), section twelve (12), are amended to read as follows:

2. Initial determination. A representative designated by the commission director shall promptly notify all interested parties to the claim of the filing thereof, and said parties shall have seven days from the date of mailing the notice of the filing of said claim by ordinary mail to the last known address to protest payment of benefits to said claimant. The representative shall promptly examine the claim and any protest thereto and, on the basis of the facts found by him the representative, shall either determine whether or not such claim is valid, the week with respect to which benefits shall commence, the weekly benefit amount payable and the maximum duration thereof, and whether any disqualification shall be imposed, or shall refer such claim or any question involved therein to an appeal tribunal or to the commission, which shall make its determination with respect thereto in accordance with the procedure described in subsection 3 of this section. Unless the claimant or other interested party, after notification or within ten calendar days after such notification was mailed to his the claimant's last known address, files an appeal from such decision, such decision shall be final and benefits shall be paid or denied in accordance therewith. If an appeal tribunal a hearing officer affirms a decision of the representative, or the commission appeal board affirms a decision of an appeal tribunal the hearing officer, allowing benefits, such benefits shall be paid regardless of any appeal which may thereafter be taken, but if such decision is finally reversed, no employer's account shall be charged with benefits so paid.

3. Appeals. Unless such appeal is withdrawn, an appeal tribunal a hearing officer, after affording the parties reasonable opportunity for fair hearing, shall affirm or modify the findings of fact and decision of the deputy representative. The hearing shall be conducted pursuant to the provisions of chapter seventeen A (17A) of the Code relating to hearings for contested cases. The parties shall be duly notified of such tribunal's the hearing officer's decision, together with its the hearings officer's reasons therefor, which shall be deemed to be the final decision of the commission department, unless within fifteen days after the date of notification or mailing of such decision, further appeal is initiated pursuant to

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26 27 SEC. 11. Section ninety-six point six (96.6), subsection four (4), Code 1975, is amended by striking the subsection and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

4. Appeal board. To hear and decide disputed claims, there is established an appeal board. The appeal board shall consist of three members appointed by the governor with the approval of two-thirds of the members of the senate. One member shall be a representative of employers, one member shall be a representative of employees, and one member who shall be impartial and shall represent the general public. The members shall serve six-year terms beginning on July first. For the initial board, the member representing employers shall serve a two-year term, the member representing employees shall serve a four-year term, and the member representing the general public shall serve a term of six years. No more than two members of the appeal board shall be members of the same political party. Any vacancy in the membership occurring during a session of the general assembly shall be filled in the same manner as the original appointment. Any vacancy in the membership occurring while the general assembly is not in session shall be filled by appointment by the governor which appointment shall expire thirty days after the general assembly next convenes. Within the thirty-day period, the governor shall transmit an appointment to the senate.

The members of the appeal board shall select a chairperson and vice chairperson from their membership.

The appeal board shall meet as often as deemed necessary, but not less than one time per month. Meetings shall be set by a majority of the appeal board or upon the call of the chairperson and vice chairperson.

Members of the appeal board shall each be paid twenty-one thousand seven hundred fifty dollars annually until July 1, 1978 and shall receive actual and necessary expenses. Thereafter each member shall be paid forty dollars per day for each day of official business of the appeal board and shall receive actual and necessary expenses, including travel, from funds appropriated to the department.

SEC. 12. Section ninety-six point six (96.6), subsections five (5), six (6), seven (7), and eight (8), Code 1975, are amended to read as follows:

5. Commission Appeal board review. The commission appeal board may on its own motion affirm, modify, or set aside any decision of an appeal tribunal a hearing officer on the basis of the evidence previously submitted in such case, or direct the taking of additional evidence, or may permit any of the parties to such decision to initiate further appeals before it. The commission appeal board shall permit such further appeal by any of the parties interested in a decision of an appeal tribunal a hearing officer and by the deputy representative whose decision has been overruled or modified by an appeal tribunal the hearing officer. The commission may remove to itself or transfer to another appeal tribunal the proceedings on any claim pending before an appeal tribunal. Any proceeding so removed to the commission shall be heard in accordance with the requirements of subsection 3, by the full membership of the commission, or, in the absence or disqualification of the labor representative or the employer representative on the commission, by the public representative acting alone. The appeal board shall review the case pursuant to rules adopted by the appeal board. The commission appeal board shall promptly notify the interested parties of its findings and decision.

6. Procedure. The manner in which disputed claims shall be presented, the reports thereon required from the claimant and from employers, and the conduct of hearings and appeals shall be in accordance with rules prescribed by the commission for determining the rights of the parties, whether or not such rules conform to common law or statutory rules of evidence and other technical rules of procedure department under chapter seventeen A (17A) of the Code. A full and complete record shall be kept of all proceedings in connection with a disputed claim. All testimony at any hearing upon a disputed claim shall be recorded, but need not be transcribed unless the disputed claim is further appealed. The record

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and may be destroyed thereafter.
7. Witness fees. Witnesses subpoenaed pursuant to this section shall be allowed

7. Witness fees. Witnesses subpoenaed pursuant to this section shall be allowed fees and necessary traveling expenses at a rate fixed by the commission director, which fees shall be charged to the unemployment compensation administration fund of the commission department.

- 8. Judicial review. A decision of the eommission appeal board shall become final ten days after the date of notification or mailing thereof. Judicial review of any decision of the eommission appeal board may be sought in accordance with the terms of the Iowa administrative procedure Act. The eommission department may be represented in any such judicial review proceeding by any qualified attorney who is a regular salaried employee of the eommission department or who has been designated by the commission department for that purpose, or at the commission's department's request, by the attorney general. Notwithstanding the terms of the Iowa administrative procedure Act, petitions for judicial review may be filed in the district court of the county in which the claimant was last employed or resides, provided that if the claimant does not reside in the state of Iowa the action shall be brought in the district court of Polk county, Iowa, and any other party to the proceeding before the eommission appeal board shall be named in the petition. The eommission department may also, in its discretion, certify to such courts, questions of law involved in any decision by it. Petitions for judicial review and the questions so certified shall be given precedence over all other civil cases except cases arising under the workmen's compensation law of this state. No bond shall be required for entering an appeal from any final order, judgment or decree of the district court to the supreme court.
- SEC. 13. Section ninety-six point seven (96.7), subsection one (1), paragraph b, Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:
- b. Such contributions shall become due and be paid to the commission department for the fund at such times and in such manner as the commission director by regulation prescribes.
- SEC. 14. Section ninety-six point seven (96.7), subsection three (3), paragraph a, subparagraph six (6), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:
- (6) As soon as practicable after the close of each calendar quarter, and in any event within forty days after the close of such quarter, the eommission department shall notify each employer of the amount that has been charged to his the employer's account for benefits paid during such quarter. This statement to the employer shall show the name of each claimant to whom such benefit payments were made, the claimant's social security number, and the amount of benefits paid to such claimant. Any employer who has not been notified as provided in section 96.6, subsection 2, of the allowance of benefits to such claimants may within thirty days after the receipt of such statement appeal to the eommission director for a hearing to determine the eligibility of the claimant to receive such benefits. The eommission may hear the ease or may director shall refer the same to an appeal tribunal a hearing officer for hearing. In either ease and both the employer and the claimant shall receive notice of the time and place of such hearing.
- SEC. 15. Section ninety-six point seven (96.7), subsection three (3), paragraph e, Code 1975, as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter ninety-two (92), section fourteen (14), and chapter ninety-three (93), section one (1), is amended to read as follows:
- e. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Act, on and after January 1, 1977 1978 no employer's rate shall be less than two point seven percent with respect to any calendar quarter unless the total assets of the fund, excluding contributions not yet paid, as of the first day of such calendar quarter exceed the total benefits paid from the fund within the first four of the last five complete

calendar quarters immediately preceding the first day of such calendar quarter; and no employer's rate shall be less than one point eight percent with respect to any calendar quarter unless the total assets of the fund, excluding contributions not yet paid, as of the first day of such calendar quarter exceeds an amount equal to twice the amount of total benefits paid from the fund within the first four of the last five complete calendar quarters immediately preceding the first day of such calendar quarter.

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SEC. 16. Section ninety-six point seven (96.7), Code 1975, as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

New Subsection. The department shall, with respect to the calendar year beginning January 1, 1977, add to the contribution rate assigned each employer based upon the effective table a percentage equal to nine-tenths of one percent. The department shall monitor the total trust funds available for payment of benefits. If this total available becomes less than twenty percent of the total benefit payments paid in the previous calendar year recording the highest benefit payments, for a period longer than two weeks, an additional tax equal to twentyfive hundredths of one percent shall be added to the rate of each employer assigned a contribution rate under the effective rate table. The twenty-five hundredths of one percent add-on tax shall be collected on all taxable wages paid by an employer during the calendar year beginning January 1, 1977. The add-on tax shall be paid on all taxable wages paid by the employer prior to the effective date of the tax with the quarterly contributions following the effective date of the tax, and on all taxable wages for the remainder of calendar year 1977. Following assignment of the additional tax notice of a rate increase shall be enclosed in the quarterly reports sent by the department to each employer.

SEC. 17. Section ninety-six point nine (96.9), subsection six (6), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

6. Management of funds in the event of discontinuance of unemployment trust fund. The provisions of subsections 1, 2, and 3 to the extent that they relate to the unemployment trust fund shall be operative only so long as such unemployment trust fund continues to exist and so long as the secretary of the treasury of the United States continues to maintain for this state a separate book account of all funds deposited therein by this state for benefit purposes, together with this state's proportionate share of the earnings of such unemployment trust fund, from which no other state is permitted to make withdrawals. If and when such unemployment trust fund ceases to exist, or such separate book account is no longer maintained, all moneys, properties, or securities therein, belonging to the unemployment compensation fund of this state shall be transferred to the treasurer of the unemployment compensation fund, who shall hold, invest, transfer, sell, deposit, and release such moneys, properties, or securities in a manner approved by the eommission director, treasurer of state, and governor, in accordance with the provisions of this chapter: Provided, that such moneys shall be invested in the following readily marketable classes of securities; such securities as are authorized by the laws of the state of Iowa for the investment of trust funds. The treasurer shall dispose of securities and other properties belonging to the unemployment compensation fund only under the direction of the eommission director, treasurer of state, and governor.

SEC. 18. Section ninety-six point ten (96.10), Code 1975, is amended by striking this section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

96.10 Department of employment security. There is established an Iowa department of job service. The chief executive officer of the department is the director of job service who shall be appointed by the governor with the approval of two-thirds of the members of the senate and shall serve at the pleasure of the governor. The director shall be selected solely on the ability to administer the

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duties and functions granted to the department and shall devote full time to the duties of director. If the office of director becomes vacant during a session of the general assembly, the vacancy shall be filled in the same manner as the original appointment. Any vacancy in the office of director occurring while the general assembly is not in session shall be filled by appointment by the governor which appointment shall expire thirty days after the general assembly next convenes. Within the thirty-day period, the governor shall transmit an appointment to the senate.

The salary of the director shall be set by the general assembly.

The director of the department may establish, consolidate, and abolish divisions of the department when necessary for the efficient performance of the various functions and duties of the department of employment security.

SEC. 19. Section ninety-six point eleven (96.11), subsections one (1), two (2), and three (3), Code 1975, are amended to read as follows:

- 1. Duties and powers of eommission director. It shall be the duty of the eommission director to administer this chapter; and it the director shall have power and authority to adopt, amend, or rescind pursuant to chapter seventeen A (17A) of the Code such rules and regulations, to employ such persons, make such expenditures, require such reports, make such investigations, and take such other action as it deems necessary or suitable to that end. Such rules and regulations shall be effective upon compliance with chapter 17A. Not later than the fifteenth day of December of each year, the commission director shall submit to the governor a report covering the administration and operation of this chapter during the preceding fiscal year and shall make such recommendations for amendments to this chapter as the commission director deems proper. Such report shall include a balance sheet of the moneys in the fund. Whenever the eommission director believes that a change in contribution or benefit rates will become necessary to protect the solvency of the fund, it the director shall promptly so inform the governor and the legislature, and make recommendations with respect thereto.
- 2. General and special rules. General and special rules may be adopted, amended, or rescinded by the commission only after public hearing or opportunity to be heard thereon, of which proper notice has been given. Special rules shall become effective ten days after notification to or mailing to the last known address of the individuals or concerns affected thereby. Regulations may be adopted, amended, or rescinded by the commission. Each employer shall post and maintain printed statements of all regulations rules of the department in places readily accessible to individuals in his the employer's service, and shall make available to each such individual at the time he the individual becomes unemployed a printed statement of such regulations rules relating to the filing of claims for benefits. Such printed statements shall be supplied by the commission department to each employer without cost to him.
- ¹3. Publication. The eommission director shall cause to be printed for distribution to the public the text of this chapter, the eommission's regulations and department's general rules, its annual reports to the governor, and any other material the eommission director deems relevant and suitable and shall furnish the same to any person upon application therefor.
- SEC. 20. Section ninety-six point eleven (96.11), subsections four (4) and five (5), Code 1975, as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter ninety-two (92), section twenty (20), are amended by striking the subsections and inserting in lieu thereof the following:
- 4. Personnel. The director shall provide for the employment of such personnel as are necessary to carry out the functions of the department. Personnel shall be employed under the provisions of chapter nineteen A (19A) of the Code. The director, a deputy director, a confidential secretary, the members of the appeal board, and a secretary for each member if deemed necessary, shall be exempt

10 from the merit system under the provisions of section nineteen A point three 11 (19A.3) of the Code.

The director may bond any employee handling moneys or signing checks.

5. Advisory council.

a. There is established a job service advisory council composed of nine members appointed by the governor and approved by two-thirds of the members of the senate. Three members shall be appointed to represent employees; three members shall be appointed to represent employers; and three members shall be appointed to represent the general public. Not more than five members of the advisory council shall be members of the same political party. The term of office shall be six years beginning on the first day of July following their appointment, except that for the initial board three members representing all three categories shall be appointed for two-year terms; three members representing all three categories shall be appointed for four-year terms; and three members representing all three categories shall be appointed for six-year terms. Members shall serve without compensation, but shall be reimbursed for actual and necessary expenses, including travel, incurred for official meetings of the advisory council from funds appropriated to the department.

Vacancies shall be filled for the unexpired term in the same manner as the

29 original appointment.

b. The advisory council shall meet with the director at least quarterly to discuss problems relating to the administration of this chapter and may meet more often upon the call of the director.

The advisory council annually shall elect a chairperson.

SEC. 21. Section ninety-six point eleven (96.11), subsections six (6) through ten (10), and twelve (12), Code 1975, are amended to read as follows:

6. Employment stabilization. The commission director with the advice and aid of such the advisory councils as it may appoint council, and through its the appropriate divisions of the department, shall take all appropriate steps to reduce and prevent unemployment; to encourage and assist in the adoption of practical methods of vocational training, retraining and vocational guidance; to investigate, recommend, advise, and assist in the establishment and operation, by municipalities, counties, school districts, and the state, of reserves for public works to be used in times of business depression and unemployment; to promote the re-employment of unemployed workers throughout the state in every other way that may be feasible; and to these ends to carry on and publish the results of investigations and research studies.

7. Records and reports. Each employing unit shall keep true and accurate work records, containing such information as the commission department may prescribe. Such records shall be open to inspection and be subject to being copied by the eommission department or its authorized representatives at any reasonable time and as often as may be necessary. The commission director may require from any employing unit any sworn or unsworn reports, with respect to persons employed by it the department, which the commission director deems necessary for the effective administration of this chapter. Information thus obtained shall not be published or be open to public inspection, other than to public employees in the performance of their public duties or to an agent of the commission department designated as such in writing for the purpose of accomplishing certain functions of the commission department, in any manner revealing the employing unit's identity, but any claimant at a hearing before an appeal tribunal or the commission a hearing officer or the appeal board shall be supplied with information from such records to the extent necessary for the proper presentation of his the claim. Any employee or member of the commission department or member of the appeal board who violates any provision of this section shall be fined not less than twenty dollars nor more than two hundred dollars, or imprisoned for not longer

32 than ninety days, or both.

8. Oaths and witnesses. In the discharge of the duties imposed by this chapter, the chairman of an the appeal tribunal board and any duly authorized representative or member of the commission department shall have power to administer oaths and affirmations, take depositions, certify to official acts, and issue subpoenas to compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of books, papers, correspondence, memoranda, and other records deemed necessary as evidence in connection with a disputed claim or the administration of this chapter.

9. Subpoenas. In case of contumacy by, or refusal to obey a subpoena issued to any person, any court of this state within the jurisdiction of which the inquiry is carried on or within the jurisdiction of which said person guilty of contumacy or refusal to obey is found or resides or transacts business, upon application by the eommission, or appeal tribunal appeal board, or any member or duly authorized representative thereof, shall have jurisdiction to issue to such person an order requiring such person to appear before the commission, or an appeal tribunal board, there to produce evidence if so ordered or there to give testimony touching the matter under investigation or in question; any failure to obey such order of the court may be punished by said court as a contempt thereof. Any person who shall without just cause fail or refuse to attend and testify or to answer any lawful inquiry or to produce books, papers, correspondence, memoranda, and other records, if it is in his power to do so, in obedience to a subpoena, shall be punished by a fine of not more than two hundred dollars or by imprisonment, for not longer than sixty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment, and each day such violation continues shall be deemed to be a separate offense.

10. Protection against self-incrimination. No person shall be excused from attending and testifying or from producing books, papers, correspondence, memoranda, and other records before the commission department, or an appeal tribunal the appeal board, or in obedience to a subpoena in any cause or proceeding provided for in this chapter, on the ground that the testimony or evidence, documentary or otherwise, required of him the person may tend to incriminate him the person or subject him the person to a penalty for forfeiture; but no individual shall be prosecuted or subjected to any penalty of forfeiture for or on account of any transaction, matter, or thing concerning which he the individual is compelled, after having claimed his privilege against self-incrimination, to testify or produce evidence, documentary or otherwise, except that such individual so testifying shall not be exempt from prosecution and

punishment for perjury committed in so testifying.

12. Destruction of records. The Iowa employment security commission department of job service may destroy or dispose of such original reports or records as have been properly recorded or summarized in the permanent records of the commission department and are deemed by the commission director and the state records commission to be no longer necessary to the proper administration of this chapter. Wage records of the individual worker or transcripts therefrom may be destroyed or disposed of, if approved by the state records commission, two years after the expiration of the period covered by such wage records or upon proof of the death of the worker. Such destruction or disposition shall be made only by order of the Iowa employment security commission director in consultation with the state records commission and such order shall be spread on the minutes of the Iowa employment security commission. Any moneys received from the disposition of such records shall be deposited to the credit of the employment security administration fund, subject to rules promulgated by the department.

SEC. 22. Section ninety-six point twelve (96.12), subsection one (1), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

1. Duties of eommission department. The employment security commission department shall establish and maintain free public employment offices in such number and in such places as may be necessary for the proper administration of

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12 13 this chapter and for the purpose of performing such duties as are within the purview of the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to provide for the establishment of a national employment system and for co-operation with the states in the promotion of such system, and for other purposes", approved June 6, 1933, as amended, and known as the Wagner-Peyser Act (48 Stat. L. 113;29 USCs49). All duties and powers conferred upon any other department, agency, or officer of this state relating to the establishment, maintenance, and operation of free employment offices shall be vested in the eommission department. The provisions of the said Act of Congress, as amended, are hereby accepted by this state, in conformity with section 4 of said Act, and this state will observe and comply with the requirements thereof. The commission department is hereby designated and constituted the agency of this state for the purpose of said Wagner-Peyser Act. If this chapter shall become inoperative for the reason prescribed in section 96.21, the Iowa state employment division shall not be affected thereby, but such division shall, upon the happening of such contingency, be deemed to be a division of the bureau of labor of the state of Iowa, with the same force and effect as if this chapter had not been passed, and that all funds and property made available to the Iowa state employment service division under this chapter shall under such contingency become, and shall be declared to be, the funds and property of the Iowa state employment service of the bureau of labor of Iowa. The commission department may co-operate with or enter into agreements with the railroad retirement board with respect to the establishment, maintenance, and use of employment service facilities. The railroad retirement board shall compensate the eommission department for such services or facilities in the amount determined by the commission department to be fair and reasonable.

SEC. 23. Section ninety-six point fourteen (96.14), subsection three (3), unnumbered paragraph eleven (11), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

The courts of this state shall recognize and enforce liabilities for unemployment contributions, penalties, interest and benefit overpayments imposed by other states which extend a like comity to this state. The commission is hereby empowered to department may sue in the courts of any other jurisdiction which extends such comity to collect unemployment contributions, penalties, interest and benefit overpayments due this state. The officials of other states which, by statute or otherwise, extend a like comity to this state may sue in the district court to collect for such contributions, penalties, interest and benefit overpayments. In any such case the chairman of the commission director of the department of this state, as agent for and on behalf of any other state, may institute and conduct such suit for such other state. Venue of such proceedings shall be the same as for actions to collect delinquent contributions, penalties, interest and benefit overpayments due under this chapter. A certificate by the secretary of any such state attesting the authority of such official to collect the contributions, penalties, interest and benefit overpayments, is conclusive evidence of such authority. The requesting state shall pay the court costs.

SEC. 24. Section ninety-six point nineteen (96.19), subsection seven (7), paragraph d*, Code 1975, as created by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter ninety-two (92), section twenty-nine (29), is amended to read as follows:

(d) Benefits based on services in employment as provided in this subparagraph seven (7) shall be payable in the same amount, on the same terms, and subject to the same conditions as compensation payable on the basis of other service in this chapter, except that benefits based on service in an instructional, research or principal administrative eapacity in a school operated by a political subdivision or an instrumentality thereof shall not be paid to an individual for any week of unemployment which begins during the period between two successive years or during similar periods between two regular terms whether or not successive, or during the period of paid sabbatical leave provided for in the individual's

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- contract, if the individual has a contract or contracts to perform services in this
- capacity for any school or schools for both such academic years or for both such
- terms. For the purpose of this provision "school" means an educational
- institution operated by a political subdivision or an instrumentality thereof which
- 18 is not an institution of higher education as defined in subsection twenty-four (24)
- of section ninety-six point nineteen (96.19) of the Code.

 Sec. 25. Section ninety-six point nineteen (96.19) sub-
 - SEC. 25. Section ninety-six point nineteen (96.19), subsection ten (10), paragraph b, Code 1975, as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter ninety-two (92), section thirty-two (32), is amended by striking the paragraph and inserting in lieu thereof the following:
 - b. An individual shall be deemed partially unemployed in any week in which, while employed at his then regular job, he works less than the regular full-time week and in which he earns less than his weekly benefit amount plus fifteen dollars.
- An individual shall be deemed partially unemployed in any week in which he, having been separated from his regular job, earns at odd jobs less than his weekly benefit amount plus fifteen dollars.
 - SEC. 26. Section ninety-six point nineteen (96.19), subsection twenty-one (21), Code 1975, as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter ninety-three (93), section three (3), is amended to read as follows:
 - 21. "Taxable wages". For the purposes of section 96.7, subsections 1 and 2 and subsequent to December 31, 1971, taxable wages shall not include that part of remuneration which, after remuneration equal to four thousand two hundred dollars has been paid in a calendar year to an individual by an employer or his predecessor with respect to employment during any calendar year, is paid to such individual by such employer during such calendar year unless that part of the remuneration is subject to a tax under a federal law imposing a tax against which credit may be taken for contributions required to be paid into a state unemployment fund, except that for the calendar year years 1976 and 1977 the remuneration figure shall be six thousand dollars.
 - For the purposes of this subsection, the term "employment" includes service constituting employment under any unemployment compensation law of another state provided such other state will consider service performed in Iowa in determining the contribution base.
 - SEC. 27. Section ninety-seven point fifty-one (97.51), subsection one (1), unnumbered paragraph one (1), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:
 - The treasurer of state is hereby made the custodian and trustee of this fund and shall administer the same in accordance with the directions of the Iowa employment security commission, hereafter referred to as the "commission" department of job service. It shall be the duty of the trustee:
 - SEC. 28. Section ninety-seven point fifty-two (97.52), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:
 - 97.52 Administration agreements. The Iowa employment security commission department of job service is authorized to enter into arrangements with the appropriate federal bureau of employment security agency whereby services performed by the commission department and its employees both under sections 97.50 to 97.53 and under the Iowa employment security chapter shall be equitably apportioned between the funds provided for the administration of said chapters. The money spent for rentals, supplies, and equipment used by the commission department in administering both chapters shall be equitably apportioned and charged against said funds.
 - SEC. 29. Section ninety-seven B point three (97B.3), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

97B.3 Administration. The Iowa employment security commission, hereinafter ealled the "commission", department of job service shall be vested with authority to administer the Iowa public employees' retirement system.

SEC. 30. Section ninety-seven B point six (97B.6), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

97B.6 Old records. The Iowa employment security eommission department may destroy or dispose of such original reports or records as have been properly recorded or summarized in the permanent records of the eommission department and are deemed by the eommission director and state records commission to be no longer necessary to the proper administration of this chapter. Such destruction or disposition shall be made only by order of the Iowa employment security eommission and such order shall be spread on the minutes of the Iowa employment security eommission director. Any moneys received from the disposition of such records shall be deposited to the credit of the public employees' retirement fund, subject to rules promulgated by the department.

SEC. 31. Section ninety-seven B point twenty-five (97B.25), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

97B.25 Applications for benefits. A representative designated by the eommission director and hereinafter referred to as a deputy, shall promptly examine applications for retirement benefits and on the basis of facts found by him shall either determine whether or not such claim is valid and if valid, the month with respect to which benefits shall commence, the monthly benefit amount payable, and the maximum duration thereof. The deputy shall promptly notify the applicant and any other interested party of the decision and the reasons therefor. Unless the applicant or other interested party, within thirty calendar days after such notification was mailed to his last known address, files an appeal from such decision, to the appeal referee a hearing officer as provided in section 97B.26, such decision shall be final and benefits shall be paid or denied in accord therewith.

SEC. 32. Section ninety-seven B point twenty-six (97B.26), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

97B.26 Referee Hearing officer. Unless such appeal is withdrawn, an appeal referee a hearing officer to be designated by the commission department for this purpose, after affording the parties reasonable opportunity for fair hearing, shall affirm or modify the findings of fact and decision of the deputy. At said hearing all of the evidence taken and the proceedings had shall be taken and fully reported by a certified shorthand reporter. Said reporter shall promptly transcribe said evidence and proceedings and certify to same. The said transcript shall then be made available for use by the commission appeal board and by the courts at subsequent judicial review proceedings under the Iowa administrative procedure Act, if any. The parties shall be duly notified of such referee's the hearing officer's decision, together with his reasons therefor, which shall be deemed to be the final decision of the commission department unless, within thirty days after the date of notification or mailing of such decision, further appeal is initiated pursuant to section 97B.27.

SEC. 33. Section ninety-seven B point twenty-seven (97B.27), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

97B.27 Review of decision. Anyone aggrieved by the decision of the appeal referee hearing officer may, at any time before such appeal referee's the hearing officer's decision becomes final, petition the commission department for review before the appeal board established in section ninety-six point six (96.6) of the Code of such appeal referee's the hearing officer's decision. The commission appeal board shall review the record made before the appeal referee hearing officer, but no additional evidence shall be heard. On the basis of such record the commission appeal board shall either affirm, modify, or reverse the decision of the

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appeal referee hearing officer and shall determine the rights of the appellant on the basis of such record. It shall promptly notify the appellant and any other interested party by written decision.

SEC. 34. Section ninety-seven B point forty-three (97B.43), unnumbered paragraph two (2), Code 1975, as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter fifty (50), section fourteen (14), is amended to read as follows:

Any person with a record of thirty years as a public employee in the state of Iowa prior to July 1, 1947, and who is not eligible for prior service credit under other provisions of this section, shall be entitled to a credit for years of prior service in the determination of the retirement allowance payment under any of the provisions of this chapter, provided such public employee makes application to the employment security commission department of job service for such credit for prior public service, accompanied by such verification of his the person's claim as the eommission department may require. His The person's allowance for prior service credits shall be computed in the same manner as otherwise provided in this section, but shall not exceed the sum of four hundred fifty dollars nor be less than three hundred dollars per annum. Any such person shall be entitled to receive retirement allowances computed as provided by this chapter, effective from the date of application to the employment security commission department, provided such application is approved. Beginning July 1, 1975 the amount of such person's retirement allowance payment received during June, 1975, as computed under this section shall be increased by two hundred percent and the allowance for prior service credits shall not exceed one thousand three hundred fifty dollars nor be less than nine hundred dollars per annum. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the employment security commission Iowa department of job service from funds not otherwise appropriated an amount sufficient to fund the provisions of this paragraph.

SEC. 35. Section ninety-seven B point sixty-eight (97B.68), subsection one (1), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

1. From and after July 4, 1959, any person who is a member of the federal civil service retirement program shall not be eligible for membership in the Iowa public employees' retirement system, and the provisions of this chapter shall not apply to such employee. Any employee whose membership in the federal civil service retirement program is subsequently terminated shall immediately notify his or her employer and the Iowa employment security commission department of job service of such fact, and the employee shall become subject to the provisions of this chapter on the date the notification is received by the commission department.

Any employee as defined in this chapter who is a member of the federal civil service retirement program on July 4, 1959, shall notify his employer and the lowa employment security commission of such fact. The employee's membership in the Iowa public employees' retirement system shall automatically terminate on July 4, 1959.

SEC. 36. Section ninety-seven C point fourteen (97C.14), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

97C.14 Elected officials—retroactive payments. Any elective official of the state of Iowa, or any of its political subdivisions, who becomes subject to federal social security coverage under the provisions of the agreement referred to in section 97C.3 shall, not later than October 1, 1953, pay into the contribution fund established by section 97C.12 a tax sufficient to pay in his the elective official's behalf an amount equal to three percent of his or her compensation received as a public official for each year or portion thereof that he the public elective official has served as a public elective official since January 1, 1951, not to exceed thirty-six hundred dollars for any year of service. The employment security commission

state agency shall collect the tax hereby imposed and the proceeds from such tax shall be used for the purpose of obtaining retroactive federal social security coverage for elective officials, for the period beginning January 1, 1951, in the same manner as is provided in the case of other public employees by the provisions in subsection 2 of section 97.51 in order to obtain retroactive federal social security coverage during this period of time, such contribution to be collected and guaranteed by the employer. The employment security commission state agency will pay any such amount contributed to provide for retroactive federal social security coverage for the individual in question in the same manner as other payments are made for retroactive coverage of public employees. Provided that no member of a county board of supervisors shall be deemed to be an elective official in a part-time position, but every member of a county board of supervisors shall be deemed to be an employee within the purview of this chapter and shall be eligible to receive all of the benefits provided by this chapter to which he the member may be entitled as an employee.

SEC. 37. Section six hundred one F point three (601F.3), subsection eight (8), Code 1975, is amended by striking the subsection and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

8. The director of the Iowa department of job service.

SEC. 38. Sections thirteen point seven (13.7); sixty-eight B point two (68B.2), subsection four (4); eighty-five point thirty-one (85.31); eighty-five point thirty-four (85.34), subsection two (2); eighty-five point thirty-seven (85.37); ninety-six point twenty-five (96.25); ninety-six point twenty-six (96.26); ninety-seven point fifty-one (97.51), subsection one (1), paragraph c; ninety-seven point fifty-one (97.51), subsection three (3); ninety-seven C point two (97C.2), subsection five (5); two hundred forty-nine C point fourteen (249C.14); and two hundred ninety-four point fifteen (294.15), unnumbered paragraph two (2), Code 1975, are amended by striking from such sections the words "employment security commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "department of job service".

SEC. 39. Sections ninety-six point three (96.3), subsection four (4), as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter ninety-two (92), section two (2); ninety-six point three (96.3), subsection five (5), as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter ninety-two (92), section three (3); ninety-six point three (96.3), subsection six (6), paragraph b; ninety-six point four (96.4), subsection seven (7), as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter ninety-two (92), section four (4); ninety-six point seven (96.7), subsection three (3), paragraph a, subparagraph four (4); and ninety-six point seven (96.7), subsection three (3), paragraph b, unnumbered paragraph five (5), Code 1975, are amended by striking from such sections the word "commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "director".

SEC. 40. Sections ninety-six point four (96.4), unnumbered paragraph one (1) and subsections one (1) and seven (7), as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter ninety-two (92), section four (4); ninety-six point five (96.5), subsection one (1), unnumbered paragraph one (1), and paragraphs a and f, as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, section five (5)*; ninety-six point five (96.5), subsection three (3), paragraph a; ninety-six point five (96.5), subsection four (4), unnumbered paragraph one (1), ninety-six point five (96.5), subsection five (5), paragraph c and unnumbered paragraph two (2); ninety-six point five (96.5), subsection seven (7), paragraph b, ninety-six point six (96.6), subsection one (1); ninety-six point seven (96.7), subsection three (3), paragraph a; ninety-six point seven (96.7), subsection three (3), paragraph b, unnumbered paragraph six (6); ninety-six point seven (96.7), subsection three (3), paragraph d, unnumbered paragraph one (1) and paragraph f; ninety-six point seven (96.7), subsection four (4), as

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amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter 16 17 ninety-two (92), section fifteen (15); ninety-six point seven (96.7), subsections five 18 (5), six (6), and seven (7); ninety-six point seven (96.7), subsection eight (8), as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter 19 20 ninety-two (92), section sixteen (16); ninety-six point seven (96.7), subsection nine 21 (9); ninety-six point seven (96.7), subsection ten (10), as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter ninety-two (92), section 22 23 seventeen (17); ninety-six point seven (96.7), subsections eleven (11) through 24 thirteen (13); ninety-six point eight (96.8), as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth 25 General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter ninety-two (92), sections eighteen (18) 26 and nineteen (19); ninety-six point nine (96.9), subsections one (1) through four 27 (4) and eight (8); ninety-six point eleven (96.11), subsection eleven (11); ninety-six 28 point twelve (96.12), subsection two (2); ninety-six point thirteen (96.13); ninety-29 six point fourteen (96.14), subsections one (1) and two (2); ninety-six point 30 fourteen (96.14), subsection three (3), unnumbered paragraphs three (3) through ten (10); ninety-six point fourteen (96.14), subsection five (5); ninety-six point 31 fifteen (96.15), subsection two (2); ninety-six point sixteen (96.16), subsection four 32 (4); ninety-six point seventeen (96.17), as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth 33 34 General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter ninety-two (92), section twenty-six (26); 35 ninety-six point eighteen (96.18); ninety-six point nineteen (96.19), subsection six (6), paragraphs g and j; ninety-six point nineteen (96.19), subsection seven (7), 36 paragraphs d and f; ninety-six point nineteen (96.19), subsection seven (7), 37 paragraph g, subparagraphs two (2) and three (3); ninety-six point nineteen 38 (96.19), subsection thirteen (13), as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General 39 40 Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter ninety-two (92), section thirty-four (34); ninetysix point nineteen (96.19), subsections fourteen (14), eighteen (18), twenty-nine 41 (29), thirty (30), and thirty-one (31); ninety-six point twenty (96.20); ninety-six 42 43 point twenty-one (96.21); ninety-six point twenty-four (96.24); ninety-six point 44 twenty-nine (96.29); ninety-seven point fifty-one (97.51), subsection one (1), paragraph b; ninety-seven point fifty-one (97.51), subsections two (2), four (4) 45 46 and six (6); ninety-seven B point four (97B.4); ninety-seven B point five (97B.5); 47 ninety-seven B point seven (97B.7), subsection two (2), unnumbered paragraph 48 one (1); ninety-seven B point seven (97B.7), subsection two (2), paragraphs b, c, 49 d, e, and f and subsection three (3); ninety-seven B point eight (97B.8); ninety-50 seven B point nine (97B.9); ninety-seven B point ten (97B.10); ninety-seven B point fourteen (97B.14) through ninety-seven B point twenty (97B.20); ninety-51 52 seven B point twenty-two (97B.22); ninety-seven B point twenty-three (97B.23); ninety-seven B point twenty-six (97B.26); ninety-seven B point twenty-eight 53 54 (97B.28); ninety-seven B point twenty-nine (97B.29); ninety-seven B point thirty-55 three (97B.33); ninety-seven B point thirty-four (97B.34); ninety-seven B point thirty-six (97B.36); ninety-seven B point thirty-seven (97B.37); ninety-seven B 56 point thirty-eight (97B.38); ninety-seven B point forty-one (97B.41), subsection 57 58 one (1), paragraph a, as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter fifty (50), section four (4); ninety-seven B point forty-one 59 (97B.41), subsection three (3), paragraph a, subparagraphs two (2) and three (3); 60 ninety-seven B point forty-one (97B.41), subsections seventeen (17) and nineteen 61 (19); ninety-seven B point forty-three (97B.43), unnumbered paragraph three (3), 62 as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter 63 64 fifty (50), section fourteen (14); ninety-seven B point forty-five (97B.45), as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter fifty 65 66 (50), section fifteen (15); ninety-seven B point forty-six (97B.46), as amended by 67 Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter fifty (50), section 68 sixteen (16); ninety-seven B point forty-seven (97B.47); ninety-seven B point 69 forty-eight (97B.48), subsection two (2); ninety-seven B point forty-nine (97B.49), 70 subsections one (1) and two (2), as amended by Acts of the Sixty-sixth General 71 Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter fifty (50), section eighteen (18); ninety-seven B 72 point fifty-one (97B.51); ninety-seven B point fifty-two (97B.52), as amended by

- Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter fifty (50), section 73 74 twenty (20); ninety-seven B point fifty-three (97B.53), as amended by Acts of the 75 Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter fifty (50), section twenty-one (21); ninety-seven B point fifty-four (97B.54); ninety-seven B point fifty-five 76 77 (97B.55); ninety-seven B point fifty-seven (97B.57) through ninety-seven B point 78 sixty (97B.60); ninety-seven B point sixty-one (97B.61), as amended by Acts of 79 the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapter fifty (50), section twenty-80 two (22); ninety-seven B point sixty-four (97B.64); ninety-seven B point seventy 81 (97B.70); ninety-seven B point seventy-one (97B.71); Acts of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, 1975 Session, chapters ninety-two (92), sections eleven (11), 82 83 twenty-one (21) and twenty-four (24), and ninety-three (93), section two (2), are 84 amended by striking from such sections the word "commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "department" and by striking from such sections the word 85 "commission's" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "department's". 86
 - SEC. 41. Sections ninety-four point one (94.1), ninety-four point three (94.3), and ninety-seven B point sixty-six (97B.66), Code 1975, are repealed.
 - SEC. 42. The terms of office of persons appointed to serve as members of the employment security commission shall expire on June 30, 1976.
 - SEC. 43. The annual salary of the director of the department of job service shall be within the range of twenty-six thousand dollars to thirty-one thousand dollars for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1976 and ending June 30, 1977. The governor shall specify the salary to be paid to the person indicated at a rate within the salary range indicated from funds appropriated by the general assembly for such purpose.
 - SEC. 44. If the projected total trust funds available for payment of unemployment compensation benefits through April 1, 1977, is insufficient to meet projected claims for unemployment compensation benefits, the director of the Iowa department of jobs service shall prepare and adopt such procedures for advance payment of a portion of the employer's unemployment contributions projected due for the first quarter of calendar 1977.
 - SEC. 45. The provisions of the section amending section ninety-six point nineteen (96.19), subsection seven (7), paragraph d, Code 1975, shall become effective March 31, 1977.

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CHAPTER 1069

PUBLIC WORKS JOINT FINANCING

S. F. 1321

AN ACT relating to the status and power of an entity created under chapter twenty-eight F (28F) of the Code to accomplish joint financing of public works and facilities.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- 1 Section 1. Section twenty-eight F point one (28F.1), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:
- 28F.1 Scope of chapter. This chapter is intended to provide a means for the joint financing by public agencies of works or facilities useful and necessary for the collection, treatment, purification and disposal in a sanitary manner of liquid